UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

In re:)	Chapter 11
		Case No. 18-50757
FIRSTENERGY SOLUTIONS CORP., et al. ¹)	(Jointly Administered)
Debtors.)	Hon. Alan M. Koschik
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NOTICE OF APPEAL AND STATEMENT OF ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that appellant Ohio Valley Electric Corporation ("OVEC") hereby appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit under 28 U.S.C. § 158(d)(2)(A) from the *Order Confirming the Eighth Amended Joint Plan of Reorganization of FirstEnergy Solutions Corp.*, et al., *Pursuant to Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code* [Docket No. 3283] (the "Confirmation Order").

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 158(c)(1), OVEC hereby elects to have the appeal heard by the United States District Court for the Northern District of Ohio (the "<u>District Court</u>") rather than by the Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Sixth Circuit (the "<u>BAP</u>").²

The parties to the order appealed from and the names and addresses of their respective attorneys are as follows:

The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: FE Aircraft Leasing Corp. (9245), case no. 18-50759; FirstEnergy Generation, LLC (0561), case no. 18-50762; FirstEnergy Generation Mansfield Unit 1 Corp. (5914), case no. 18-50763; FirstEnergy Nuclear Generation, LLC (6394), case no. 18-50760; FirstEnergy Nuclear Operating Company (1483), case no. 18-50761; FirstEnergy Solutions Corp. (0186); and Norton Energy Storage L.L.C. (6928), case no. 18-50764. The Debtors' address is: 341 White Pond Dr., Akron, OH 44320.

OVEC will be filing a motion for direct certification of the Confirmation Order for appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit. However, in the event that a direct appeal is not certified by this Court or permission to appeal is subsequently denied by the Sixth Circuit, OVEC elects to have the appeal heard by the District Court as opposed to the BAP.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Mark McKane, certify that on October 29, 2019, a true and correct copy of the foregoing *Notice of Appeal and Statement of Election* was served via the Court's Electronic Case Filing System on those entities and individuals who are listed on the Court's Electronic Mail Notice List.

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